

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of :

Applicant : GAO et al.

Application No. : 10/584,844

Filed : June 28, 2006

For : ENCODING METHOD FOR SKIPPED MACROBLOCKS IN VIDEO  
IMAGE

Art Unit : 2482

Examiner : TORRENTE, RICHARD T

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It is believed no fee is due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0710 (Order No. LPTF-TRAN-10). Signature: /JIAWEI HUANG/  
Jiawei Huang, Reg. No. 43,330

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

**MAIL STOP Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on September 20, 2010 regarding the above-identified application, Applicants elect Species II, claims 1-4 and 7-10 for further examination on the merits. Claims 1, 2, and 7-10 are respectfully submitted to be generic claims that encompass all Species I, II, and III.